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MADE TRIP AROUND HORN

EXPERIENCES OF A SAILOR WITH THE BATTLESHIP FLEET.

(Continued).

"At 4 o'clock the next morning the fleet was on its way, following the crooked channel. To the south lies Terra del Fuego, devoid of all vegetation. At noon Punta Arenas, our third resting place, was reached, revealing but little more than a hamlet at first sight, the houses of which are built of corrugated iron. It bears the distinction of being the Southern-most city in the world. The principal occupations are fur trading and metal mining. Anchored in the harbor were the Chilean Cruiser Chacabuco and the English Cruiser Sappho, while scores of tramp steamers were tied up to the docks. The stop at Punta Arenas was made solely for the purpose of taking on coal, and, this task accomplished, the fleet got under way at 11 p. m. on February 7th, and swung into Broad Reach, then the narrows of Forward Reach.

At 5:10 a. m. the ships rounded Cape Horn and the southernmost point of South America. From here on the scenery is most captivating. On either side rise mountains of rock, with scant vegetation, such as weather-beaten fir trees and scrubby oaks, growing a few hundred feet up their sides to where they meet the snow line. On both sides are to be seen the spotless white, snow covered peaks reaching up into the clouds. Small glaciers of snow and ice come down in many places, reaching almost to the water's edge.

Ruling this waste on the Patagonian side are tribes of "Horse Indians" so called because of always having been seen with horses, both riding and eating them. Those of the Terra del Fuego archipelago are called "Canoe Indians." This name is due to the mode of conveyance used by them.

Very few seals were seen along the straits. Seals, gulls and marine birds followed the ships the entire distance. The fleet steamed along, swinging around sharp curves, dodging submerged rocks, unrolling the beautiful panorama with such rapidity that one could not allow his gaze to linger long.

At 5:30 p. m. Cape Pillar, the western point of the Fuegian side, was passed, leaving behind nature's great waterway, 310 miles long. The entire trip from Punta Arenas occupied 18 hours, and the last American man-of-war under sail making the passage was the U. S. S. Decatur, occupying nearly two months.

On our entrance to the Pacific we found a heavy sea running, which prevailed all day, with considerable fog. During the forenoon the Chilean Cruiser Chacabuco, joined the fleet. This state of weather continued until the morning of the 13th, when the sky cleared considerably toward noon and a heavy sea subsided into a long, regular ground swell. At 10:15 a. m. a Chilean man-of-war was sighted off our starboard bow, conveying three torpedo boats, standing toward the fleet. At 3:30 the U. S. S. Chicago passed us, bound for the Atlantic Coast via Cape Horn.

Chile, whose coast lay some 60 miles to starboard, intended it should be her honor to accept at least a passing visit from the fleet at her great seaport, Valparaiso. At 2 p. m. on the 14th, as the ships entered the harbor in exact column, the United States ensign was hoisted at the fore truck and that of Chile at the main truck.

As the fleet passed the first fort a salute of 21 guns was fired and a more beautiful sight presented by any naval display could not be seen. The column was never so perfect, the interval between ships never so flawless. A splendid harbor filled with ships flying the flags of many nations was revealed to our sight. Lining the harbor in a semi-circle is an almost continual mountain range, on the sides of which are the houses which form the homes of the 172,000 population. They are built tier upon tier far up the side. At 3:30 p. m. the fleet passed the Chilean ship, General Baquendo, flying the president's flag, and after firing another salute of 21 guns, stood out to sea on our way to Callao, Peru.

On the morning of the 20th land was again sighted. The outlines of the high mountains could be seen marking the entrance to the harbor of Callao. With the Peruvian Cruiser Bolognesa leading, the fleet swung into exact column and glided swiftly into position, fired the customary salute and let go their anchors.

Years ago, about 1745, old Callao suffered from a severe earthquake, which buried 3,000 people, immersing the entire southwestern section of the city, throwing up in its stead further

to the westward a great island of rock, barren of all vegetation with the exception of a few trees on the extreme eastern point, which form a cross. Gold, silver, nitre and copper are found here in abundance. The capacious harbor is filled with nondescript shipping, bearing the flags of all nations.

Six miles northeast of Callao lies Lima, the capital of Peru. An English railroad operates between the two cities. Electric cars built in Philadelphia are used on all lines. Once in Lima the importance of the place is readily seen. In the heart of the city is situated the Plaza Mayor. To the north of this park stand the government buildings, and by their side the old Cathedral, with its two great towers crowned with the holy cross. This great building, constructed in the time of Pizarro, who laid its corner stone in the year 1540, speaks the history of invasions, conquests and rebellions which occurred during Pizarro's reign, and the invasions made by the Chileans, who carried away all the costly ornaments of gold and silver stolen by that ambitious monarch who took them from the Inca temples years before. Nothing now remains to call to mind the expense at which the great cathedral was built, amounting to over three million dollars.

The great event of the week was the bull fight given in the fleet's honor. Six thousand men were invited and were met at the depot by six bands of music and four trains. Upon arrival at Lima they were escorted to the Plaza del Toro, where seats were reserved.

At 3:30 p. m., amid the strains of the Peruvian national air, President Pardo of Peru entered his box. As soon as he appeared the blue jackets were on their feet making the air ring with three cheers for the president, who, hat in hand, bowed to right and left.

The gates of the plaza were now opened, and, headed by the matadors, the banderilleros, toreros and picadors entered the arena. The matadors and banderilleros withdrew to their boxes at the side. The picadors, mounted on horses, took up their places before the president's box. Presently an attendant galloped across the Plaza, saluted the president and informed the picadors the bull was ready to enter the arena.

The great crowd hushed its murmurings and all eyes were turned towards the gates. As the picadors advanced to the center of the ring the gates flew open, and a great, powerful black bull, with lowered horns, charged into the arena. Cheers rent the air.

The picadors loosed their great red cloaks and advanced to meet the charge. At the sight of the horse, the man and the red cloak, the bull charged first one and then another, the breathless stillness with which the crowds watched became painful until some daring feat of horsemanship of a picador invoked a deafening cheer.

The bull, maddened by his fruitless charges, blind with rage, grew more furious, and, charging one picador with all the force and impact of his powerful body, caught the horse in the flank with one of his needle-like horns, tearing a great gaping wound in the animal's flesh, almost throwing both rider and horse.

(To be continued.)

The "Nothing New" Folks.

The editor of The Hale Hustler Leader says he knows that "there is nothing new under the sun, but why didn't Moses send a wireless message from Mount Sinai to the Israelites in the wilderness? Why didn't the wise men who walked all the way to Bethlehem go in a touring car? Why didn't the Prodigal Son wire or 'phone his father for help? Why did David run the risk of being killed by killing Goliath with a stone, when he could have shot the giant down with his automatic revolver? When the Foolish Virgins discovered that the oil was out of their lamps why didn't they turn on the electric lights? But what's the use of asking such questions? The wisest man certainly knew what he was talking about when he said, 'There is nothing new under the sun,' but there is a mighty small portion of the earth lying directly under it."—Atlanta Constitution.

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Mrs. A. L. Roberson was in Chattanooga last week.

Scott Kelly, of Sheffield, Ala., is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. W. B. Ketter attended presbytery at Dayton, Tenn., last week.

Mrs. W. L. Sorrell is the guest of her mother at Abingdon, Va., this week.

Mrs. John Parrot, of London, Tenn., has been visiting relatives here. Dr. H. W. Griffith is her brother, and Mrs. R. H. Price is a sister.

Judge S. D. McReynolds opened court here Monday morning. The docket is unusually heavy for this county, more's the shame on us, embracing three murder cases.

Mrs. Mary Dearing, who died at South Pittsburgh Friday, March 25, was buried at Pleasant Grove the day following. She was the widow of Luke Dearing, who was killed near Birmingham, Ala., sometime ago, and who formerly lived in this county. She leaves two small children who will be taken care of by her mother, Mrs. J. D. Payne, at whose home she died.

IMPORTANT PROCEEDINGS IN SOUTHERN STEEL CASE

Appeal From Order of Sale Granted—Motion to Set Bankruptcy Verdict Aside.

Telegraphic dispatches from New Orleans were received in Chattanooga last week to the effect that on motion of Attorney John W. Tomlinson, of Alabama, representing about two and a quarter million dollars worth of holdings in the Southern Steel Company, the United States Circuit Court of appeals granted an appeal there yesterday from the order of Federal Judge Handley, of the northern district of Alabama, directing the sale of all the properties of the company and that the case was not likely to come up for trial until the next term of court.

Mr. Tomlinson is the attorney of George T. Shuler, who has been in opposition to the proposed plan of reorganization since its inception. Some time ago Mr. Shuler's appeal for a stay of the sale of the properties was denied in the New York courts. It is not known as yet just what the result of the appeal granted yesterday will be. It may delay the sale of all the properties of the Southern Steel company, which sale had been set for April 13, and then, again, the sale may go on as announced.

The reorganization committee of the Southern Steel company seems to be embarking on troubled seas, for a bill was filed in the chancery court at Birmingham yesterday seeking to have the entire bankruptcy proceedings of the Southern Steel company declared null and void.

Pointed Paragraphs.

A tug is the only thing that has its bows behind.

A bee hasn't much to say but he usually carries his point.

Mirrors, unlike some people, never force their reflections upon us.

If you look for pineapples on a pine tree your search will be fruitless.

The sun sets only in the West, but an old hen is willing to set anywhere.

A worthless man always seems to have more friends than a worthless woman.

A woman never knows what a man thinks of her, although she thinks she does.

Some people are noted for their ability to recollect things that never happened.

For a practical illustration of economy, watch a small boy when he has occasion to use soap.

The family with a 16 year old boy in the house has no earthly use for a thirty-six volume encyclopedia.

If some people were to marry for brains instead of for money, they would probably get left just the same.

—Chicago News.

Best Treatment for Colds.

"Most ordinary colds will yield to the simplest treatment," says the Chicago Tribune. "moderate laxatives, hot foot baths, a free perspiration and an avoidance of exposure to cold and wet after treatment." While this treatment is simple it requires considerable trouble and the one adopting it must remain in doors for a day or two, or a fresh cold is almost sure to be contracted, and in many instances pneumonia follows. It is not better to pin your faith to an old reliable preparation like Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, that is famous for its cures of colds and can always be depended upon? For sale by Whitwell Drug Co.

Did you do any 'courting' here this week?

Mrs. H. L. Bible and children, of Hill City, have been visiting here.

Mrs. Littlejohn, of Bridgeport, was the guest of Miss Fannie Deakins last week.

Miss Gladys Brown, of Chattanooga, has been here visiting her brother, Joe Brown, and family.

Miss Ida Henson has returned to Dunlap after a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. Lay, of this place, and other relatives in Chattanooga.

Our local paper, the Statesman-Democrat, is publishing some interesting data from the pen of Capt. John Frater, formerly of this county, but now of Shreveport, La. It is mighty interesting reading and should be preserved as of historical value.

Monteagle.

Special to the News.

W. D. Bennett, Esq., attended the county board of education in Altamont Saturday, and remained over for quarterly court Monday.

Mr. Deton left for his home in Ft. Worth, Texas, Thursday. Mr. Deton made a number of friends while here, and we would like for him to come again to our mountain and tell us something more about Texas.

Prof. Ernest Summers, who is in the U. S. Army, and has been in Cuba for a year, but has come back to Atlanta, Ga., was up to see his mother two days last week.

Mr. Montgomery has bought the Parker Cottage, and moved to it, and Mr. Tate, deputy sheriff, who sold the cottage has moved to Decatur where he is opening up a livery stable. We were sorry to lose Mr. Tate and wish him much success in his new home and we are also glad to have the "medicine man", Mr. Montgomery, with us.

Prof. Farris, who has been in Florida teaching school, is at home again and does not expect to return soon but may teach here this year.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown were at Providence Friday and Saturday visiting Mr. Brown's sister, Mrs. John Conroy.

"Old Sox" is in Tracy City at this writing.

Miss Sanders returned from New Orleans, La., last week, where she has been visiting her aunt, Anna Blanton.

Wishing everybody a good time and prosperity, I will write Old Sox.

L. L. Ross Dead.

VICTORIA, Tenn., April 3.—L. L. Ross died here Friday at his home about two miles east of here of stomach trouble. He had been sick only a short time as his disease only recently developed dangerous symptoms. His remains were buried at Sardis Saturday, Rev. P. L. Cloncy conducting the services. Mr. Ross was greatly respected and his death is a sad blow to his family and friends.

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ITEMS OF THE VALLEY

Mrs. Henry Smith died at Atpontley last week.

S. T. Minton and Miss Laura Seals were married in Sequachee County.

John Choat, Sr., died at South Pittsburgh April 1.

Rufus Holmes and Miss Matilda Smith were married at South Pittsburgh April 1.

Eastland, Tenn.

Special to the News.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Baltimore went to Pineville Sunday.

Joe Gilliam passed through town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Huntly visited Mr. and Mrs. John West Sunday.

A five-month's old child of Frank Richey died Saturday.

El Smity went to Sparta Thursday.

Mrs. John West has been on the sick list for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cope visited in Clifty Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Frizzell went to Clifty Sunday.

Ball playing in the order of Sundays here.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thoms have been at the bedside of their daughter, Mrs. Bella Brannon, who has been very sick at Clifty for several days.

John Harris was on the streets of this city Sunday.

Eston Irvin has gone to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Reed left last week for Illinois.

Wm. Scarbrough has moved to Clifty.

Eminent Authorities Say

that out door exercise is needed by the American people. That's all very well, but how can people with rheumatism follow that advice? The answer is very simple—use Ballard's Snow Liniment and the rheumatism will go; leaving you as spry as a colt. Gives quick and permanent relief from rheumatism, neuralgia, lame back and all pains. Sold by Sequachee Supply Store.

DIPLOMATIC.

Child—"Suppose I called you a mean old pig, what would happen?"

Governess—"I should tell your father, and he would punish you."

Child—"And if I only thought it?"

Governess—"No harm so long as you don't say it."

Child—"Then I only think it."—Life.

STATE SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION

NASHVILLE, Tenn., April 2.—The Annual Convention of the Tennessee Sunday School Association will be held in Nashville on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, June 1st, 2nd and 3rd next.

The International Association will be represented by Dr. Franklin McElfresh, Superintendent of the Teacher Training Department.

The program for the Convention is being prepared and will soon be published.

For further information about the State Convention, write to Joseph Carthel, General Secretary of the Tennessee Sunday School Association, Room 54, Noel Bldg., Nashville, Tenn.

Hustling and Rustling.

Mr. Clyde Simmons has a talking machine to entertain his lady friends.

Hurrah for Clyde! He is a hustler.

Martin Farmer was in Cold Springs Saturday buying up farming tools.

Lookout, Miss Myrtle, you can't beat it. Martin is a hustler.

Miss Rucha Farmer has been busy this week making soap. Miss Rucha is a smart girl, and some old bachelor would do well to get her for a wife.—Farmerville cor. Pikeville Banner.

Rheumatism.

More than nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles, due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism. In such cases no internal treatment is required. The free application of Chamberlain's Liniment is all that is needed, and it is certain to give quick relief. Give it a trial and see for yourself how quickly it relieves the pain and soreness. The medicines usually given internally for rheumatism are poisonous or very strong medicines. They are worse than useless in cases of chronic and muscular rheumatism. For sale by Whitwell Drug Co.

Scattered Hence.

Hence Winton's mules ran away with the wagon Saturday evening. Did not hurt anybody, but broke the coupling pole of the wagon and left the bed in one place, the hind wheels in another, the front wheels and one mule in another, and one mule went home.—Hubbards Cove cor. Altamont, Tenn., Comet.

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Not a Drop of Alcohol

What is a "tonic"? A medicine that increases the strength or tone of the whole system. What is an "alterative"? A medicine that alters or changes unhealthy action to healthy action. Name the best "tonic and alterative"? Ayer's Sarsaparilla, the only Sarsaparilla entirely free from alcohol. Ask your own doctor all about it. Never take a medicine doctors cannot endorse. J. C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

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